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April 5, 2016

Mr. Tony Becker
Ohio EPA, Northeast District Office
2110 East Aurora Road
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Re: PM Release, Pulverizer Mill (P031), March 9, 2016

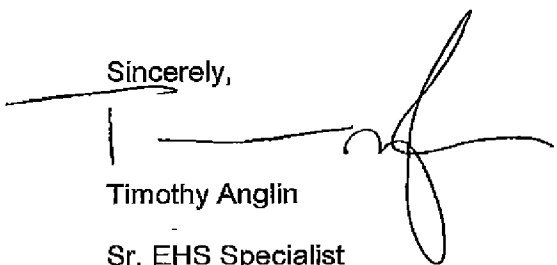
Dear Mr. Becker,

Please find enclosed the report on the March 9, 2016 NOx release.

1. The release occurred at the BASF Elyria Plant, 120 Pine Street, Elyria, OH.
2. The duration of the release was 2 minutes. The release began at approximately 0845 and ended at 0847.
3. The PM discharged out of a Pulverizer Mill (P031).
4. It is calculated less than 1 pound of PM (D0713) were released. If additional information on the amount of material released becomes available, it will be forwarded to your office.
5. The release was the result of the manual damper on the dust collector being incorrectly set, allowing the discharge to pass through the filter.
6. To end the release site personnel reset the damper.
7. No evacuation of the surrounding community was necessary.

If you have any questions or require any further information, please do not hesitate to call me at 440-329-2568.

Sincerely,


Timothy Anglin

Sr. EHS Specialist



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August 24, 2016

Mr. Tony Becker
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Re: Malfunction Report

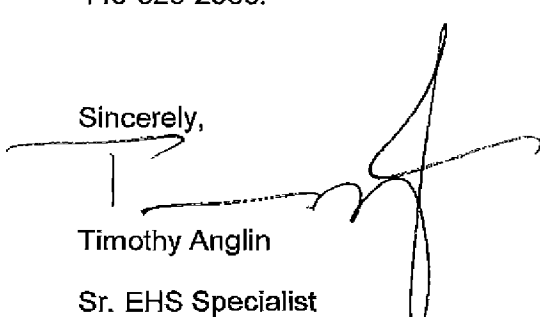
Dear Mr. Becker,

Please find enclosed the report on the August 10, 2016 Particulate Matter (PM) release.

1. The release occurred at the BASF Elyria Plant, 120 Pine Street, Elyria, OH.
2. The duration of the release was 1 minute. The release began at 0930 and ended at 0931.
3. The PM discharged out of the copper precursor process (P131).
4. It is calculated that less than 1 pound of PM were released. If additional information on the amount of material released becomes available, it will be forwarded to your office.
5. The release was the result of a mechanical failure of the process bin vent.
6. To end the release site personnel shut down the process and repaired the bin vent.
7. No evacuation of the surrounding community was necessary.

If you have any questions or require any further information, please do not hesitate to call me at 440-329-2568.

Sincerely,


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